GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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MEDICAL REIMBURSEMENT TO RETIRED EMPLOYEES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the retired Central Government Employees living in the area not covered under CGHS facility are entitled to get medical reimbursement in respect of amount spent by them on their heart operation and treatment in CGHS recognized/approved/private hospitals particularly Batra Hospital, New Delhi; and

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the amount admissible to them?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a)&(b): Retired Central Government servants living in a non-CGHS area but registered as a CGHS beneficiary with the nearest CGHS covered city are entitled for reimbursement of medical expenditure incurred for heart operation and treatment in private hospitals recognised under CGHS, after obtaining prior permission of the CMO in-charge of the concerned dispensary.

If a retired Central Governemnt servant is registered with CGHS Delhi, then he is eligible for treatment in private hospitals recognised under CGHS Delhi including Batra Hospital, New Delhi.

Ceiling rates for various medical procedures/tests/investigations along with the list of private hospitals recognised under CGHS Delhi have been recently revised vide Dept. of Health`s O.M. dated 7.9.2001 read with O.Ms. dated 15.3.2002 and 6.5.2002, copies of which have already been circulated to all Ministries/Depts. of the Government of India.